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For: WAVEGUIDE OPTICAL DEVICE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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In response to the Office Action mailed July 11, 2003, the three-month statutory period during which to respond thereto expiring October 14, 2003, (October 11, 2003, being a Saturday, October 12, 2003, being Sunday, and October 13, 2003, being a Federal holiday, Columbus Day) Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on ł ţ page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.